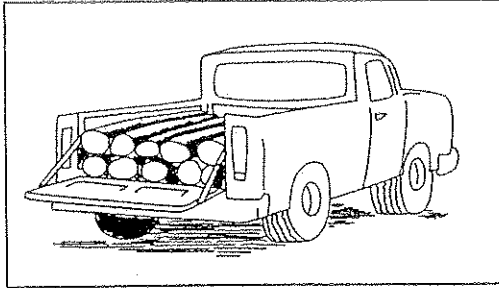
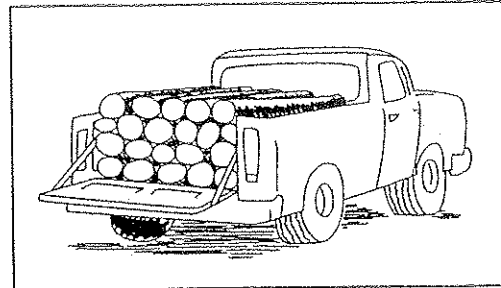


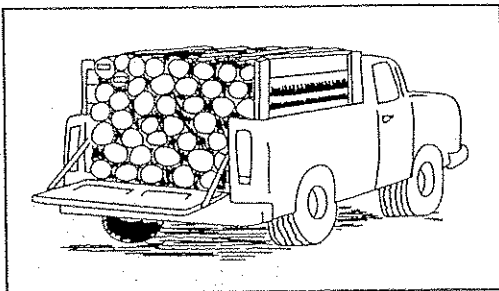
Measuring and Removing Firewood from the Forest



1/3 Cord for Long Bed
1/4 Cord for Short Bed



1/2 Cord for Long Bed
1/3 Cord for Short Bed

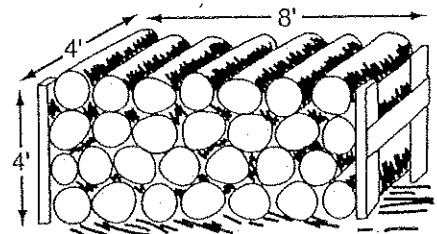


1 Cord for Long Bed
3/4 Cord for Short Bed

$$\text{Number of Cords} = (\text{length} \times \text{width} \times \text{height}) \div 128$$

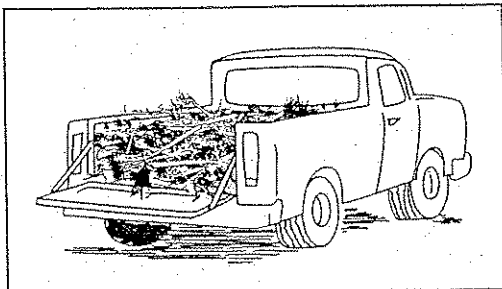
Firewood is commonly measured in cords. A standard cord is the amount of lightly piled wood in a stack 4 feet wide by 4 feet high by 8 feet long.

The average half-ton pickup truck can carry a half cord of dry wood without overlapping the vehicle.

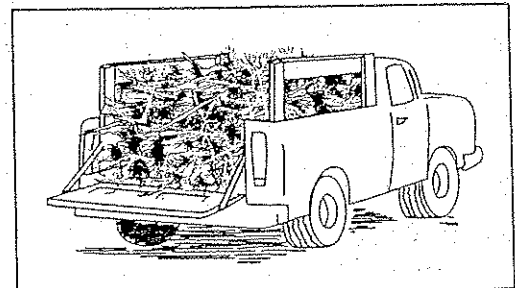


ONE CORD (128 cubic feet)

Measuring and Removing Limbs and Boughs



75 Pounds for Long Bed
50 Pounds for Long Bed with Toolbox
50 Pounds for Short Bed



125 Pounds for Long Bed
75 Pounds for Short Bed

SAFETY HINTS

Gathering firewood can be hazardous. Here are some tips to make your trip safe.

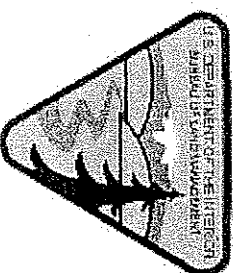
- Start saws on the ground
- Wear saw chaps, work boot, safety glasses, hard hat, earplugs, and gloves.
- Be sure of your footing. Have an "escape" route when falling.
- Carry a shovel & fire extinguisher with you to reduce the possibility of fire. Don't Smoke.
- Park your vehicle in a safe location. Use caution when driving on back roads.
- Do not drop trees across roadways. A tree across a road keeps others from getting through, & can be very dangerous.
- Make sure you're not cutting to close to anyone else.
- The backcut must leave sufficient hinge wood to guide the tree's fall in the intended direction.
- The backcut must be above the level of the horizontal facecut to prevent kickback when falling.
- Check with your local district office for any current fire restrictions.

Report fires to:

East Idaho Interagency Fire Dispatch

1-208-524-7600 or

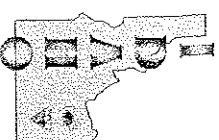
1-800-438-8160



Bureau of Land Management
4350 S Cliffs Drive
Pocatello, ID. 83204

Phone: 208-478-6340

REMEMBER.....



PERMIT REQUIRED TO CUT OR REMOVE FIREWOOD

***READ & FOLLOW CONDITIONS LISTED ON THE BACK OF YOUR PERMIT**

1. YOU MUST HAVE A PERMIT. A valid permit must be in your possession at all times when cutting and removing forest products. A validated tag must be securely attached to the back of the load for each portion thereof & be clearly visible before transporting of firewood. To validate, completely remove month & day from each tag.
2. Areas available for removal of firewood will be designated on permit. Maps are available. It is your responsibility to make sure you are on BLM designated land.
3. Cut stumps to 12 inches or less
4. Do not cut signed wildlife or bearing trees.
5. Stay on designated roads and trails.
6. Clean up after yourself. Do not litter!
7. Do not leave trees or slash blocking road ways. Lop & scatter tops & limbs. Cut **ONLY** standing dead or down trees. **No** cutting of green trees is permitted.

BLM WOODCUTTING STIPULATIONS

1. This permit must be in possession at all times when cutting and when transporting firewood.
2. Load tickets must be validated and attached to loads before transporting.
3. Woodcutting permits are non-transferable.
4. The permittee or any immediate family member must be present during cutting and transportation of firewood.
5. The use of mechanized log moving and loading equipment is prohibited.
6. Logs transported under the condition of this permit may not exceed seven (7) feet.
7. An operable screen-type spark arrestor with openings of .023 inches or less covering the exhaust element must be on your chain saw during operation.
8. An 8 ounce chemical fire extinguisher must be in your possession when cutting.
9. A size "0" or equivalent shovel must be in your possession when cutting.
10. Do not drop trees across roadways.
11. All slash material will be piled. Do not deposit or leave slash material on road shoulders, in borrow ditches, culverts or stream courses.
12. All stumps will be no higher than twelve (12) inches above the ground.
13. No hauling will be permitted when road conditions are such that damage will result to the road.
14. Dead trees are important to many wildlife species. Please do not cut trees with nesting holes or other evidence of wildlife use.
15. Any violations will void this permit.
16. PLEASE DO NOT LITTER!!
17. Don't cut any trees marked with yellow paint.
18. Keep gates closed.
19. CUT DEAD AND DOWN MATERIAL ONLY.
20. Personal use only. NOT FOR RESALE!!
21. Area opens and closes as weather and road conditions permit.

